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SUBJECT: COMPUTER CONFERENCE IN BAGHDAD NOVEMBER 7 - 13, 1974

1. DG OF NATIONAL COMPUTER CENTER, DR. HILAL AL-BAYATI, INFORMED VISITING USDOC MRO KILLOUGH ON MAY 9 THAT AMERICAN MANUFACTURERS OF COMPUTER HARDWARE AND SOFTWARE AS WELL AS SCHOLARS AND CONSULTANTS IN RELATED FIELDS ARE WELCOME TO APPLY TO ATTEND AS OBSERVERS IRAQ'S FIRST INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON COMPUTER TECHNOLOGY, TO BE HELD IN BAGHDAD NOVEMBER 7-13. CONFERENCE THEME IS ROLE OF THE COMPUTER IN IRAQ AND OTHER DEVELOPING COUNTRIES. INVITATIONS TO DELIVER PAPERS AND OTHERWISE ACTIVELY PARTICIPATE IN SEMINAR DISCUSSIONS HAVE ALREADY BEEN SENT TO SELECTED SCHOLARS -- INCLUDING A NUMBER OF AMERICAN UNIVERSITY PROFESSORS. THE INVITATION HAS BEEN ISSUED BY THE AMERICAN-EDUCATED (VIRGINIA-TECH) DIRECTOR GENERAL HIMSELF AND INTERESTED U.S. PARTIES SHOULD CONTACT DG DIRECTLY.

2. COMMENT: POST UNDERSTANDS FROM TDY USDOC MARKET RESEARCH OFFICER THAT SIMILAR SEMINAR BEING HELD IN CAIRO IN DECEMBER 1974 IN CONNECTION WITH COMPUTER AND DATA PROCESSING EQUIPMENT EXHIBITION. U.S. FIRMS MAY FIND IT CONVENIENT TAKE PART IN BOTH EVENTS.  
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